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QUANG TRI AREA, SOUTH VIETNAM

16-37N 107-01E

1. PRE-STRIKE PHOTOGRAPHY OF TROJAN HORSE

REVEALS AN AREA OF SUSPECT INSURGENT ACTIVITY LOCATED 12 NM SOUTHWEST OF QUANG TRI AND 18 NM SOUTH OF THE DEMILITARIZED ZONE. THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY 125 BOMB CRATERS OBSERVED IN THE AREA.

2. THIS AREA WAS DESIGNATED BY THE JCS FOR A B-52 STRIKE ON 13 AUGUST 1965. THE TARGET AREA, MEASURING APPROXIMATELY 6000 X 1075 YARDS AND GENERALLY PARALLELING THE SOUTH BANK OF THE SONG QUANG TRI (RIVER), IS BOUNDED BY THE FOLLOWING COORDINATES: 16-38-55N 106-58-31E, 16-37-46N 107-01-33E, 16-38-19N 107-01-43E, 16-38-22N 106-58-22E.

3. POST-STRIKE PHOTOGRAPHY OF TROJAN HORSE

REVEALS AT LEAST 600 TO 650 NEW BOMB CRATERS WITHIN THE JCS DESIGNATED TARGET AREA AND APPROXIMATELY 50 NEW CRATERS OUTSIDE THE TARGET ZONE.

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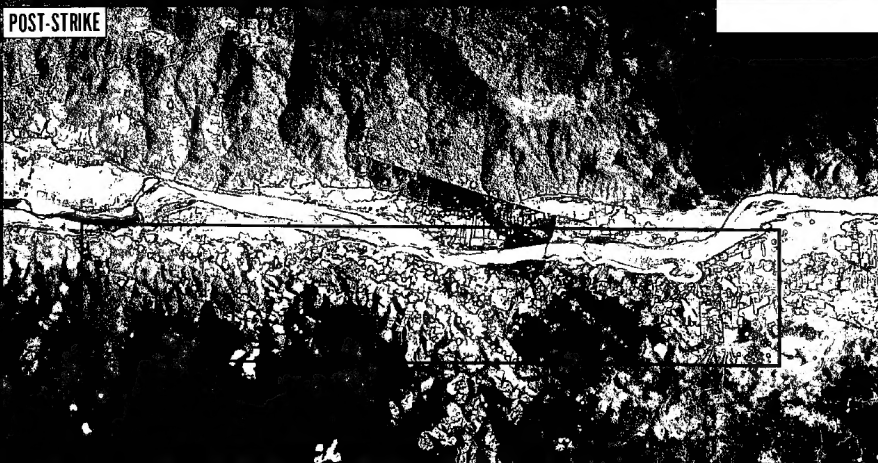
PRE-STRIKE



APPROXIMATELY 125 BOMB CRATERS WITHIN JCS DESIGNATED TARGET AREA

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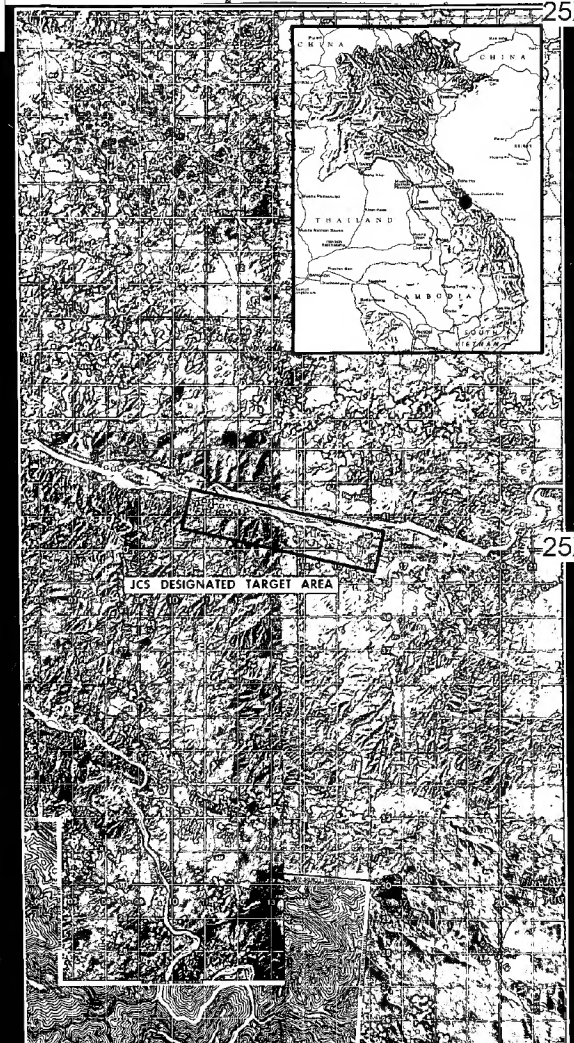
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